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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: Announcement of the Initial Group of NIOs

1. Attached for your consideration is a draft notice to USIB Principals.

2. On timing:

a. I think we should try to put out some such notice on Friday, 26 October.

b. If you have spoken to the individuals involved, I also think it would be useful for you to announce your first batch of selections at the Friday (26 October) Morning Meeting. If you want some cosmetic icing, you could have the individuals in question present for the portion of the meeting at which the announcement is made.

c. We could then get your USIB memo translated into and issued as an Agency notice.

3. The above schedule may be too compressed and what could be done Friday could certainly also be done on Monday or Tuesday of next week. There is, however, business already pending in three areas -- Cambodia, Western Europe and Latin America -- the conduct of which will be materially facilitated by public announcement of who the NIOs for these areas are to be. Also, the sooner NIOs are announced the sooner the whole project can move forward.

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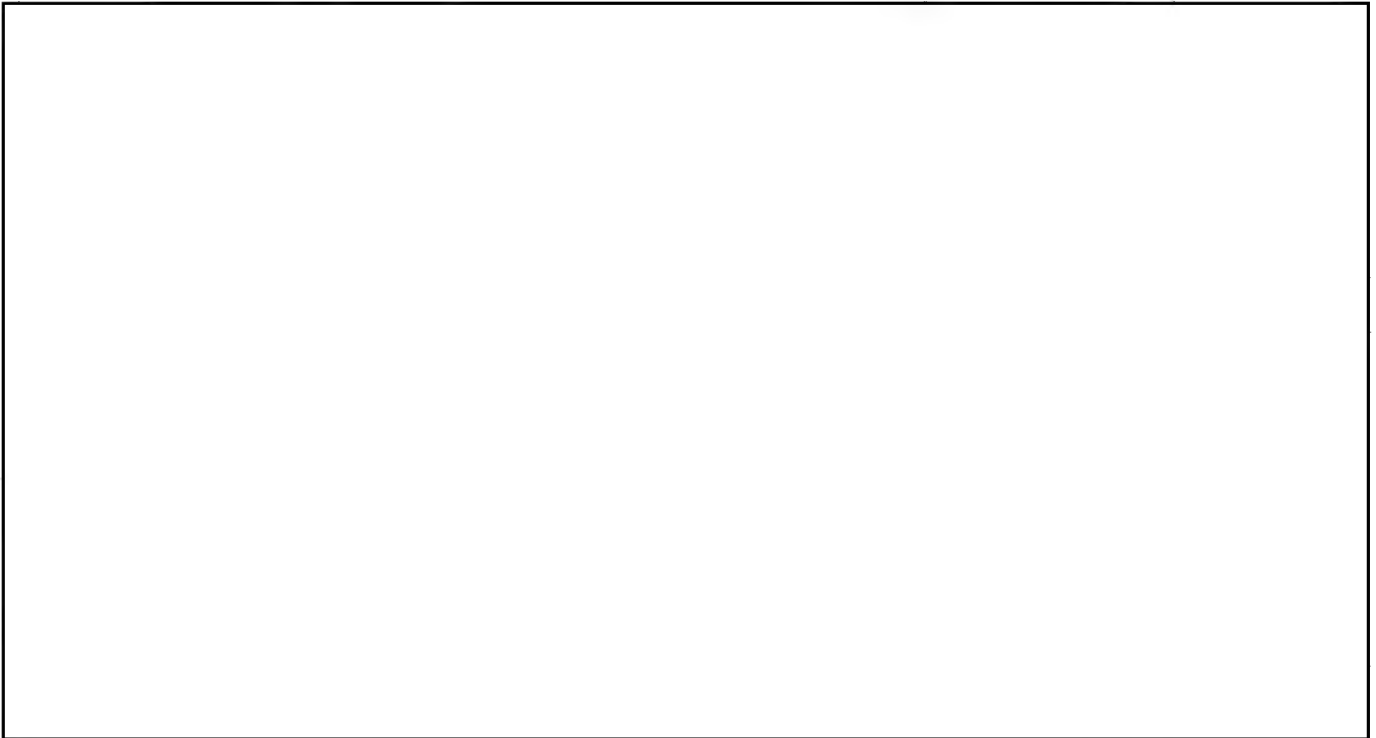
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